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Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

From Saturday, *March* 10, to Saturday, *March* 17, 1732.

In the Commons Houſe of Aſſembly March 15, 1732.

WHEREAS in and by an Act of the General Aſſembly of this Province, Entituled, *An Act for Remiſſion of Arrears of Quit-Rent*, &c. Among other Things it is Enacted, 'That all & every Perſon & Perſons whatſoever, being and reſiding within the Province of *South-Carolina*, who do hold or claim any Meſſuages, Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments within the ſaid Province, by Virtue of any Patents or Grants, ſhall, within 18 Months next after the paſſing this Act, Regiſter all and every ſuch their Patents and Grants reſpectively, or Memorials thereof, at the Election of the Patentee or Grantee, in the Office of his Majeſty's Auditor General or his Deputy. And, 'That all Perſons, who do now hold, poſſeſs, or claim any Meſſuages, Lands, &c. by Virtue of any Meſne Conveyances under ſuch original Patentees, *&c.* ſhall, within the Time aforeſaid, exhibit to the ſaid Auditor General, *&c. A ſhort Memorial in Writing*, to be ſigned by the Party exhibitting the ſame, containing the Purport, Subſtance and Effect of the laſt Meſne Conveyance, under which the Party immediately claims [Town Lotts excepted] *That is to ſay, every Memorial of any ſuch Deed, Conveyance or Will, ſhall contain the Year and Day of the Month when ſuch Deed bears Date, and the Names and Additions of all the Parties to ſuch Deed or Conveyances*, and if by Will, *the Deviſor, Teſtator, or Teſtatrix of ſuch Will; and ſhall expreſs or mention ſuch Meſſuages, Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments contained in ſuch Deed, Conveyance or Will, and the Place where ſcituate, that is to ſay, the County, Pariſh, Townſhip, Precinct, or Extra-parochial Places within the ſaid Province, where ſuch Lands*, &c. *are ſcituate or do lye.* And, 'That all 'Lands whatſoever, lying and being within the ſaid Province of *South-Carolina*, now 'in the Tenure or Occupation of any Perſon or Perſons whatſoever, living and reſiding within the ſame, *that ſhall not* be 'regiſtred, or a Memorial thereof tendered 'to be regiſtred in the Office of the ſaid Auditor General or his Deputy, *within* 18 '*Months* after the ſaid Office ſhall be erected and eſtabliſhed in *Charleſtown* as aforeſaid, and publick Notice given thereof by 'the ſaid Auditor or his Deputy, by poſting the ſame at each Pariſh Church thro' 'out the ſaid Province; The ſame ſhall be 'reputed, deemed, and taken as *vacant* '*Lands*; and it ſhall and may be lawful for 'any Perſon or Perſons to take up the ſame. As in and by the ſaid Act, relation thereunto being had, may more fully and at large appear. *It is therefore Ordered*, that the Clerk of this Houſe do procure the above Paragraph of the ſaid Act to be printed in the next *Gazette*, and that he do alſo cauſe the ſame to be printed in ſeperate *Advertiſements*, to be poſted in the moſt publick Places of the ſeveral Pariſhes in this Province. And that he at the ſame Time do give Notice, that the ſaid 18 Months for Regiſtring Land in this Province, purſuant to the ſaid Act, will expire on the 27th Day of *May* next enſuing, That all Perſons may take due Notice thereof, by cauſing their reſpective Titles, or Memorials thereof, to be recorded within the ſaid Time.

By Order of the Houſe,

I. Amyand, *C. D. C.*

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

HAGUE, Decemb. 12.

OUR Letters from the Levant bring an odd Piece of News, if it be true: It is, that the Grand Seignior has renewed his Peace with the Emperor for 20 Years, upon Condition that his Imperial Majesty shall not concern himself with the War of the Spaniards upon the Coast of Africa. They add, that the Sultan has thereupon taken a Resolution to send a formidable Fleet, under the Command of the intrepid Gianum Coggia, who is to be joined by the Squadrons of Tripoli, Tunis, Algiers and Ægypt, and to sail to the West, to make War upon the King of Spain, whilst the Armies of Ægypt, Cyrene, and Barca advance to the Relief of the Algerines before Oran, and drive the Spaniards not only from that Coast but even from those of the King of Morocco. If that Speculation should come to pass, the Mediterranean would be once covered with Fire and Smoak; for as the Malteze would be in Danger on the one Hand, so the Venetians would not be safe on the other.

BOULOGNE, *Jan.* 3. This Day a Man was broke alive on the Wheel here, which certainly is a most dismal Sight, especially to the Natives of a Country where there are no Executions of that Sort. About 4 o' Clock in the Afternoon the Provost, with his Archers on Horseback, came to demand the Prisoner, who came out bare-footed with a Crucifix in his Hand, a Capuchine on his Right Hand and the Hangman on his Left. When he came near the Scaffold he fell upon his Knees to receive Sentence from the Judge; after which he was drawn upon the Scaffold, and after about half an Hour's Prayers, he was laid upon St. Andrew's Cross, stript stark naked, with his Arms and Legs extended and tied to the Cross. The Capuchin came and gave him the Crucifix to kiss; then the Executioner broke his Arms and Wrists, his Thighs and Ancles; and lastly he gave him two or three great Blows on the Stomach with an Iron Crow, which did his Business: This is called here the *Coupe de grace*. His Body now lies exposed upon a Cart Wheel fixed upon a Post, nigh the Place where he committed the Murder, which was a very barbarous one, within a Mile of this City.

VIENNA, *Dec.* 13. They write from Prague, that on the 23d ult. there came out of the Saltpetre Mountain, behind the House of Correction, a Smoak, which at first they little regarded: That on the 25th it threw out great Flames, which put the whole City into a Fright: That Troops were sent thither to extinguish the Fire, but that the Mountain flamed again the 4th and 5th Instant: That notwithstanding the Trenches they had made about it, the fire spread itself to the Lands adjoining to the Muldau, a River that runs thro' the City; and that the burning Heat of these Lands, which are very sulphurous, made them exceeding fearful that the Flames would catch hold of the Houses, and destroy the City.

On Sunday two Cabinet Couriers arrived from London and Berlin, and a Council was immediately called upon it. An Account is come of the Death of M. de Steinberg, General of the Artillery in Bohemia, as likewise of the famous Prince Ragotzki at Constantinople; from whence our last Letters assure us, that the Grand Seignior is resolved to invade Malta next Spring, for which purpose a powerful Naval Armament is actually getting ready; and this not only on Account of the late Seizure of the Sultana, but the great Assistance the Malteze Ships have given the Spaniards, towards distressing his Brother Musulmans of Barbary.

GENOA, *Dec.* 13. The Seas are more infested of late with the Corsairs of Algiers than has been known for many Years; scarce a Ship enters the Port but brings an Account of some Seizure: The Republick has thought convenient to give Orders for arming several more Vessels on this extraordinary Occasion; and it is to be hoped that the Christian Powers will heartily unite on the same Account, to put a final stop to their Depredations, so prejudicial to the Trade of the Mediterranean.

LONDON, *Dec.* 30. We hear that Capt. Cornwal will be appointed Commander of a Squadron of Men of War, which is designed early in the Spring to relieve several Ships now at the West-Indies, under the Command of Sir Chaloner Ogle; and 'tis said Commodore Lestock, who has been recalled home, has obtained Leave to transmit his Accounts to the Admiralty, he having taken a House at Jamaica, in order to reside there for some Time.

Five Spanish and two Malteze Men of War lay at Alicant the 6th Instant O. S. being ordered to cruize between Oran and Algier, to prevent the Ships employed as Transports between Spain & Oran from falling into the Hands of the Algerines, as many have done.

There are some Affairs which threaten the Tranquility of Europe: We are informed from Vienna, by the Holland Mail just arrived, that on the 23d Inst. a Council of War was held, and and in which, Resolutions were taken for remounting & recruiting all the Imperial Troops in Hungary, Italy, the Empire, & the Netherlands, by the End of February next; to which End the new Levies are carrying on with the utmost Diligence at Vienna and all the Hereditary Countries.

From Turin, That that Court was about taking into their pay 6000 Imperialists, to send to the Island of Sardinia in case of Need.

From Scaffhausen, That the Catholick Cantons had resolved to renew their Alliance with France. And

From Alsace, That the French continue to fill their Magazines with all necessary Stores of Ammunition, &c.

Jan. 2. We hear that a Squadron of Men of War, from 40 to 80 Guns will be sent up the Mediterranean, to demand Satisfaction for the several Depredations that have been committed on our Merchants in those Parts.

Most or all the Royal Yatchs are fitting out for Sea; and Reports run with Assurance, that they are designed to bring over this Spring the Prince Royal of Prussia, whose Marriage with the Princess of Bevern being laid aside; the said Prince is to marry the Princess Royal or Princess Caroline: And 'tis likewise talked with Assurance, that the said Yatchs are also to bring over the Prince of Nassau Friesland, to marry the Princess Amelia.

Extract of a private Letter from Naples, *dated Dec.* 9.

The 29th past, about half an Hour after 10 at Night, began a most dreadful Earthquake, which lasted almost a quarter of an Hour without ceasing, and so terrified the Inhabitants that Numbers ran out of the Houses half naked into the Squares, Fields and Gardens, in such Haste and Confusion that they bore down one another in Heaps, and the small Children were unavoidable trodden under Foot; the 2 first Minutes the Wall of the Royal Hospital, full 3 Foot thick, was most amazingly rent, & the Churches, Cloysters, and others of the finest Buildings, had but little the better Fate; and the head Church was seen to open wide in 4 Places at once; the Carmelite and Olivertenar Churches are half ruined, as are also the Palace, Castles and Arsenals; the stone Bridge over the River Calore is wholly destroyed, as is also the Castle of the Marquis de Carise, under which that Lord, his Consort, Children & Domesticks are buried; the Duke of Colli Caronio and his Consort, who were in the same Castle, were halled out of the Earth half dead, but 2 of their Daughters perished: About 80 Persons in all are dug from under the Ruins.

Richard Fitz-Williams, Eſq; one of his Majeſty's Council at Virginia, has kiſs'd his Majeſty's Hand for the Government of the Bahama Iſlands, vacant by the Death of Woods Rogers, Eſq;

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to preſent J. Hayward, A. B. to the Rectory of Withington in the County and Dioceſs of Glouceſter, void by the Promotion of Dr. Rich. Smallbroke to the See of Litchfield and Coventry.

Laſt Week died the Rt. Hon. William Paſton, Earl and Viſcount Yarmouth, Baron Paſton of Paſton, and Baronet, in the 75th Year of his Age.

BOSTON,

Jan. 8. On *Monday* laſt, about 7 o'Clock in the Evening, ſundry Perſons coming from Charleſtown on the Ice, three men and two Women had the misfortune to fall into the River; but being ſeaſonably aſſiſted by ſome in Company with them, and others from the Shore they were preſerved from drowning.

We hear from the Highanas, on the back-ſide of Cape Cod, that on *Monday* laſt, Capt. John Prince came in there from New-York, bound to this Place with Flour, &c. and having Occaſion to go on ſhore in the Evening, his Veſſel was carried out of the Harbour before morning, by the Wind and Ice, with all his men on board, and 'tis greatly feared that both Veſſel and men are loſt upon the Shoals.

CHARLESTOWN, *March* 17.

Laſt Week was married in St. *Thomas*'s Pariſh, one Mr. *John Strahan*, 70 Years of Age, to Mrs. *Naomi Painter* of Sixty.

On Sunday laſt put in here a Ship from Jamaica, bound to Briſtol, having ſprung a Leak in the Latitude of 30. by whom we hear, that it is very ſickly at Jamaica, and at Port Antonia they die ſo faſt, that it's thought that Settlement will be broke up. And that Capt. Aubin lies there wanting Men to bring him round. And, we hear, they intend to remove the Hulk from that Place.

On Thurſday arrived George Walker from Providence.

To the ſeveral WORTHY ELECTORS *of* Members *of* ASSEMBLY, *for the Pariſh of St.* Philip's, Charleſtown.

GENTLEMEN,

YOUR Votes and Intereſt are humbly deſired for *Gab. Manigault*, of *Charleſtown*, Merchant, to be your Repreſentative in Aſſembly, in the Room of *Robert Hume*, Eſq; who is gone off this Province. *Gabriel Manigault.*

N. B. The Poll will be opened, and begun to be taken, on Tueſday the 20th Inſt. at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon, in the Pariſh Church.

DElivered by Miſtake, from on Board Capt. *William Watkinſon*, a Caſe with a Buroe in it, No. 5. mark'd T G. And a Box No. 4. directed Gaptain Gaſcoign. Whoſoever brings the ſame to Mr. *Thomas Gadſden*, ſhall be paid reaſonable Charges.

ALexander Parris, Treaſurer, gives Notice, that there is wanting to be delivered to the *Switz* at *Purrysburg*, 31 good Cowes and Calves, and two Bulls; alſo 31 Sows and two Boars: Whoever will agree with me in *Charleſtown*, and on producing a Receipt for the Delivery of the ſame, from Col. *John Purry*, the Money ſhall be paid down according to Agreement.

THE ſaid Treaſurer does likewiſe give Notice, to all Perſons retailing Strong Liquors, that their Licenſes expires the 25th Inſtant. The Juſtices for granting Certificates, to the ſaid Perſons, will meet at the Houſe of Mr. *Henry Gignilliat*, in *Charleſtown*, on Wedneſday the 28th of this Month, in order to approve of Perſons qualified to retail Strong Liquors, and that no Perſon preſume to ſell any, until they have obtained Certificates from the ſaid Juſtices, and a Licenſe from the Treaſurer to ſell the ſame.

Exported from this Place ſince Nov. 3, 1732, to Mar. 10. 1732-3. Rice 29,513 Barrels, and 628 Baggs. Pitch 5,985. Tar 1,985. Turpentine 424. Whereof 6,542 Barrels, and 538 Baggs of Rice for Foreign Markets.

Prices of the following Goods. Rice 35 s. per Hundred. Pitch 30 s. per Bar. Tar 30 s Turpentine 27 s. 6 d. per Hund. Skins 17 s. Wine 85 l. per Pipe. Indian Corn 10 s. per Buſh. Flour 31. 5 s. White Bread 6 l. Middling ditto 4 l. Brown ditto 3 l. 10 s. Barbadoes Rum 13 s. 9 d. per Hogſh. Boſton 11 s. 3 d. Lime Juice 22 s. 6 d. Salt 10 s. per Buſh. Melaſſes 6 s. 3 d. per Hogſh. Staves 16 l. per Thouſ. Peaſe 11 s. 3 d. per Buſh.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Charleſtown, *Entred inwards*,

Pink Anne, John James, from Briſtol.
Ship Baltick Merchant, George Mackenzie, from Ditto.

Entred out

Sloop Rebecca, John Cornock, for New-York.
Brigt. Pine Apple, Andrew Sigourney, for London.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Bever, Thomas Smith, to Cowes.
—— King William, Wm. Watkinſon, to London.
Sloop Neptune, Edward Lightwood, to New-York.
Snow Matthew, Matthew Fenwick, to Topſham.

STolen out of the Stable of *George Nicholas*, Eſq; in Dorcheſter Town, a hunting Saddle, and a Bay Gelding branded on the off Shoulder JB, with the Scar of a Fiſtula on his Shoulder, and a black Mane and Tail, March the 8th, 1732. at Night. Alſo about three Weeks ſince, ſtray'd out of his Paſture at Woodbury Plantion, near Dorcheſter, a Bay Gelding with a Star in his Forehead, with this Brand NL on the off Shoulder and Buttock, the off Foot behind white, and ſome Saddle Galls. Whoever brings one or both of the ſaid Horſes, and Saddle to the Owner aforeſaid, ſhall be well rewarded.

PEter Precour, Maſter of Arts, is arrived in the Province but a ſmall Time, and willing to acquaint the Publick that he'll teach the *French* and *Latin* Tongues; and his Spouſe Mounts and paints Fans, and will learn to Draw; they living on the Green, at the Houſe of Mr. *Thomas Farleſs* in Dock-ſtreet.

Mr. ———'s SPEECH *at the* WATCH-HOUSE.

GENTLEMEN JURY of the *Watch Houſe*, I hope to Repreſent you at the next ELECTION, my Inclinations are great to do you Service——— The Reformation of the COIN of this Country will particularly conduce to your Advantage; *GENTLEMEN*, the Paper Bills (you all know) are very faulty, the very Stamps denote their Imperfections—— The *One Pound* Bill Gentlemen, is you ſee mark'd with a Horſe, a *Wild Horſe* Gentlemen, without a Rider, Bit, or Furniture; how ſhou'd this Bill Gentlemen, keep a *Gaite* due and Regular? it is ſometimes too ſlow for want of *Spurring*, and often runs headlong for want of a *Bridle*; and the *Ten Shillings* Bill, Gentlemen, is, you ſee, mark'd with a *Plume of Feathers*, that in Law is *light Money*, Gentlemen, and to utter ſuch is ſurely illegal: but, had it been a *Bunch* of *Quills*, Gentlement, the Device then would be very conſiſtent; for *Currente Calamo*, Gentlemen, is a *Currency of Quills* all the World over; We ſhould then ſee, Gentlemen, a fair Race between the *Rider* and *Quill-Driver*; But I ſee no Reaſon, why moſt of the ſmall Bills ſhould be mark'd with a *Ring*, Gentlemen, unleſs to ſhew our Coin's to be finger'd, and may prove an Allurement to ſome very great *Pick pockets*. I don't like, Gentlemen, to ſee any of our Money marked with the *Sun*, our Country is too hot for ſuch a Signature, the *Moon* (I think) Gentlemen, would be fitter for *Change*, becauſe you know, Gentlemen, the Moon is variable; The *Crown Bill Mark* is (I hear) without Exception, the *Roſe* and *Crown*, Gentlemen, are well united, being a true *Emblem* of *Protection* and *Liberty*; the *Roſe* ſmells ſweet, when the *Crown* is above it, but without the *Crown* the luxuriant *Roſe* would be *wild* and *prickly*—— Gentlemen. I can only aſſure ye, that you are now in a very fair Way of being well-befriended—— *Ca——ers* (you know) is gone to get Land, and *I am the Man* to ſpeak for your Money.——

Reſonet voce WATCH-HOUSE.

WM. Baker, deſigns to depart this Province in about 30 Days, all thoſe to whom he is indebted are deſired to come and receive the ſame; and thoſe that are indebted to him, are deſired to pay the ſame forthwith.